

EXHIBIT 117

HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY

Page 1

1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF MASSACHUSETTS
C.A. NO. 1:14-CV-14176
- - - - -x
STUDENTS FOR FAIR ADMISSIONS, :
INC., :
Plaintiff, :
v. :
PRESIDENT AND FELLOWS OF :
HARVARD COLLEGE (HARVARD :
CORPORATION), :
Defendant. :

- - - - -x
HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY
DEPOSITION OF MICHAEL CONTOMPASIS
30(b)(6): BOSTON LATIN SCHOOL
Boston, Massachusetts 02110
Thursday, July 27, 2017

REPORTED BY: Deanna J. Dean, RDR, CRR
JOB NO: 127102

HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY

Page 41

1 Contompasis

2 gain admission.

3 Q. And you previously testified that
4 Boston Latin School does not take account of
5 race in the admissions process. Correct?

6 A. That's correct.

7 Q. Do you think Boston Latin School has
8 a diverse student body?

9 MS. KELLY: Objection.

10 A. If one includes the Asian students,
11 the answer is yes.

12 Q. Do you find Boston Latin School's
13 student body well-rounded?

14 MS. KELLY: Objection.

15 A. What's your definition of
16 "well-rounded"?

17 Q. Does Boston Latin School's student
18 body have diverse interests, personalities, and
19 strengths?

20 A. None that I know of, if I follow
21 what you're saying. You might want to --

22 Q. I'll rephrase for you.

23 A. Yeah. Please do.

24 Q. Are the students who make up Boston
25 Latin School's student body diverse in terms of

HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY

Page 42

1 Contompasis

2 their personalities and interests and
3 strengths?

4 A. Yes.

5 Q. Does the same hold true for the
6 Asian students at Boston Latin School?

7 MS. KELLY: Objection.

8 A. Yes.

9 Q. And although they share the same
10 general ethnicity, the Asians at Boston Latin
11 School have diverse interests, personalities,
12 and strengths. Would you agree?

13 A. I would agree.

14 MR. FLETCHER: Objection.

15 Q. Does the fact that a student is
16 Asian tell you anything about them as an
17 individual --

18 MS. KELLY: Objection.

19 Q. -- other than their ethnicity?

20 MS. KELLY: Objection.

21 A. It tells me that they have gained
22 admission to the school using the process
23 that's available.

24 Q. Anything else?

25 A. No.

HIGHLY CONFIDENTIAL - ATTORNEYS' EYES ONLY

Page 131

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, Deanna J. Dean, a Registered Diplomate Reporter, Certified Realtime Reporter, and Massachusetts Notary Public, do hereby certify that the foregoing, to the best of my knowledge, skill and ability, is a true and accurate transcript of my computer-aided electronic stenographic notes of the deposition of MICHAEL CONTOMPASIS, who was duly sworn, taken at the place and under the circumstances present on the date hereinbefore set forth.

I further certify that I am neither attorney or counsel for, nor related to or employed by any of the parties to the action in which this deposition was taken, and further that I am not a relative or employee of any attorney or counsel employed in this case, nor am I financially interested in this action.

Deanna J. Dean, RDR, CRR

Signed this 8th day of August, 2017

My MA commission expires December 28, 2018